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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
7 AT SEATTLE

8 THUY NGUYEN,

9 Petitioner,

10 v.

11 JEFFERSON SESSIONS, et al.,

12 Respondents.

Case No. C17-0926-JCC-MAT

ORDER APPOINTING FEDERAL
PUBLIC DEFENDER

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14 This is a 28 U.S.C. § 2241 immigration habeas action. Petitioner has filed a motion to
15 appoint counsel. (Dkt. 6.) Having considered petitioner's request, his financial eligibility, and the
16 balance of the record, the Court finds and ORDERS:

17 (1) The Court is in receipt of a letter from the Office of the Federal Public Defender
18 indicating that this case falls within the class of cases potentially governed by *Zadvydas v. Davis*,
19 533 U.S. 678 (2001). Because of the complex issues involved in this case, the interests of justice
20 require that counsel be appointed for petitioner. *See* 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(a)(2)(B). As required by
21 statute, petitioner has demonstrated that he is financially eligible for such appointment. *See id.*
22 Accordingly, petitioner's request for appointment of counsel (Dkt. 6) is GRANTED. The Court
23 appoints Corey Endo and the Office of the Federal Public Defender to represent petitioner in these

1 proceedings.

2 (2) The Clerk shall send copies of this Order to petitioner, to the Federal Public
3 Defender, to counsel for respondents, and to the Honorable John C. Coughenour.

4 Dated this 28th day of June, 2017.

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7 Mary Alice Theiler
8 United States Magistrate Judge
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